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**DESIGN
QUESTION PAPER/UNIT TEST**

**Subject : Alternative English
Class : XI
Full Marks : 100
Time : 3 Hours**

I. WEIGHTAGE TO OBJECTIVES :

Objectives	Marks	Percentage
Knowledge	20	20
Comprehension	30	30
Expression	50	50
TOTAL :	100	100

II. WEIGHTAGE TO FORM OF QUESTIONS :

Form of Questions	No. of Questions	Time	Marks	Percentage
(a) E/LA	8	105 min.	54	54
(b) SA - I	12	40 min.	24	24
(c) SA - II	4	20 min.	12	12
(d) VSA	10	15 min.	10	10
(e) O/M.C.	—	—	—	—
TOTAL :	34	180 min.	100	100

III. WEIGHTAGE TO CONTENT :

Content	Marks	Percentage
Unit : Prose	35	35
Poetry	35	35
Composition		
(a) Letter Writing	7	} 30
(b) Amplification	8	
(c) Precis Writing	10	
(d) Diary Entry	5	
TOTAL :	100	100

- IV. (a) SCHEME OF SECTIONS :** Section A, B & C.
(b) SCHEME OF OPTIONS : L/A (expecting precis writing & diary entry)
(c) DIFFICULTY LEVEL : Difficult - 15%
 Average - 50%
 Easy - 35%

Abbreviation : K (Knowledge), C (Comprehension), E (Essay Type), LA (Long Answer Type), SA (Short Answer), O (Objective Type), MC (Multiple Choice Type)
 Exp (Expression) and VSA (Very Short Answer Type)

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Sl. No.	Unit	Nb. of Questions	Forms of Questions	Marks Allotted
1	Prose	1	Critical Question (IA-one out of two)	6x1=6
		1	Explanation Question (IA-one out of two)	6x1=6
		6	SA - I Questions	2x6=12
		2	SA - II Questions	3x2=6
		5	VSA Questions	1x5=5
35 Marks				
2	Poetry	1	Critical Question (IA-one out of two)	6x1=6
		1	Explanation Question (IA-one out of two)	6x1=6
		6	SA - I Questions	2x6=12
		2	SA - II Questions	3x2=6
		5	VSA Questions	1x5=5
35 Marks				
3	Composition	1	Letter Writing (IA-one out of two)	7x1=7
		1	Amplification (IA-one out of two)	8x1=8
		1	Precis Writing	10x1=10
		1	Diary Entry	5x1=5
30 Marks				

ALTERNATIVE ENGLISH
CLASS-XII

One Paper **3 Hours** **100 Marks**

Section	Unit	Marks
A	I) Prose	35
B	II) Poetry	35
C	III) Composition	22
D	IV) Comprehension	8

SECTION - A

Unit-I : PROSE 35 Marks

Selected pieces :

- (i) The Last Leaf - O. Henry
- (ii) The Wolves of Cemogratz - Saki
- (iii) The Man who could Work Miracles - H.G.Wells
- (iv) The Malefactor - Anton Chekhov
- (v) The Sixth Century Before Christ and Religion - J.L. Nehru

- Note :**
- a) One out of two extracts from the text to test comprehension and appreciation (Explanation) : 6x1=6
 - b) One out of two long answer type questions based on the text to test global comprehension of about 80 words : 6x1=6
 - c) Six short answer type questions of 2 marks each on the lessons in about 25 words each : 2x6=12
 - d) Two short answer type questions of 3 marks each on the lessons in about 30 words each : 3x2=6
 - e) Five very short answer type questions of 1 mark each on the lessons in one sentence each : 1x5=5

SECTION-B

Unit-II : POETRY 35 Marks

Selected pieces :

- (i) Blow, Blow Thou Winter Wind - W. Shakespeare
- (ii) The Mountain Echo - W. Wordsworth
- (iii) Patriotism - Sir Walter Scott

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| (iv) The Dragon Fly | - Lord Alfred Tennyson |
| (v) Home Thought from Abroad | - Robert Browning |
| (vi) The Second Coming | - W. B. Yeats |
| (vii) The Man he killed | - Thomas Hardy |
| (viii) A Wind Flashes the Grass | - Ted Hughes |
| (ix) A saw in Louisiana a Live Oak growing | - Walt Whitman |

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- c) Six short answer type questions of 2 marks each on the lessons in about 25 words each : 2x6=12
- d) Two short answer type questions of 3 marks each on the lessons in about 30 words each : 3x2=6
- e) Five very short answer type questions of 1 mark each on the lessons in one sentence each : 1x5=5

SECTION - C**Unit-III :****COMPOSITION****22 Marks**

- I Letter Writing
 II Essay Writing
 III Creative Writing

- Note :**
- a) Letter Writing - One out of two questions on business or official letters : 7x1=7
- b) Essay Writing - One out of three topics : 10x1=10
- c) Creative Writing - Writing of some 8 lines of poetry or 70 to 80 words of story or newspaper article on a given topic or situation : 5x1=5

SECTION - D**Unit-III :****COMPREHENSION****8 Marks**

- I One Unseen passage of about 150-200 words :

- Note :**
- a) Two short answer type questions of 2 marks each 2x2=4
- b) Four very short answer type questions of 1 mark each. 1x4=4

PRESCRIBED TEXTBOOK :

1. The Glittering Jewels Book - II (An Anthology of Alternative English for Class XII)
 Published by : Council of Higher Secondary Education, Manipur.

REFERENCE BOOKS :

1. Writing with a Purpose
 By : Champa Tickoo and Jaya Sasikumar
 Published by : Oxford University Press.
2. Oxford English Grammar for Class XII
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Comprehension	30	30
Expression	50	50
TOTAL :	100	100

II. WEIGHTAGE TO FORM OF QUESTION :

Form of Questions	No. of Questions	Time	Marks	Percentage
(a) E/LA	7	95 min.	46	46
(b) SA - I	14	50 min.	28	28
(c) SA - II	4	15 min.	12	12
(d) VSA	14	20 min.	14	14
TOTAL :	39	180 min.	100	100

III. WEIGHTAGE TO CONTENT :

Content	Marks	Percentage
Unit : Prose	35	35
Poetry	35	35
Composition		
(a) Letter Writing = 7	22	22
(b) Essay Writing = 10		
(c) Creative Writing = 5		
Comprehension	8	8
TOTAL :	100	100

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		6	SA - I Questions	2x6=12
		2	SA - II Questions	3x2=6
		5	VSA Questions	1x5=5
				35 Marks
3	Composition	1	Letter Writing (LA-one out of two)	7x1=7
		1	Essay Writing (LA-one out of two)	10x1=10
		1	Creative Writing	5x1=5
				22 Marks
4	Comprehension	2	S.A. - I Questions	2x2=4
		4	V.S.A. Questions	1x4=4
				8 Marks